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Nearly everybody who reads the Press and most everybody does, is acquainted with Press Maxwell. If a man happens to find himself short of money and most of us do at times, and some of us do be- tween times, he is the one to whom we hasten our steps, in fact, run, and we would fly if we could, to see if he was at all overburdened with the article we ardently desire. Mr. Maxwell, altho one of the kindest and most liberal men on earth, doesn't throw his money to the sticky birds not if he knows it, and he is as a general thing, well posted. But about eight years ago he made a loan to a party by the name of Abram N. Nichols. The note matured as time will and Mr. Nichols promptly renewed it, adding the years interest to the principal, and thus he continued in that prompt way so satisfactory to financial men for seven years, until what was once a moderate sized affair became somewhat fleshy with the lapse of years and interest. At the date of maturity of the eighth year, Mr. Maxwell indited a letter to the gentleman who had borrowed his money stating that the matter had run along for eight years and he wanted the note paid. To this he received a reply about as follows:

"Mr. Maxwell: If you want that note paid you'll have to go and pay it yourself. I am tired of it."

Tom Clifton, the active President of the Marion Electric Light & Ice Co., altho where the ice comes in is as yet, a dark unsolved mystery, is looking very jaunty in his leather cap faced around with corduroy. Of course he wears other articles besides his cap, but this headgear gives him that gay demeanor look that distinguishes the man about town from the plodding 12 hour a day dollar chap who in various ways assists in buying such caps, but who never wears them. In drilling for water at the Electric Light and Ice plant Mr. Clifton has taken much more than a passing interest. He has a memorandum of each foot of the various soils that the drill passed through. Early and late, that is early in the afternoon and late in the morning, he is at the works, inspecting the operation, but he has never been able to see more than four feet down the six inch drill hole, and yet he is very confident that there is a big gusher of an oil well if you go deep enough, and says that he never before observed such greasy water anywhere. If Mr. Clifton will take a trip down in the woods below Lola and stop at a certain place and inspect that water he will at once see the difference between a Standard Oil plant and an ordinary tal- low candle.

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George Crider, our very popular and obliging postmaster, was years ago before he became so familiar with Uncle Sam, a telegraph operator, and he was located in the sugar district in Chicago. At the time of the grand strike of the commercial telegraphers, George of course struck too, and struck hard. Days merged into weeks, and with no pay days and car fares to provide, for like all union men the telegraphers must once a day to tell each other how that blasted old monopoly, the Western Union Telegraph Company, would soon, anyhow in a day or two, be begging them all to come back and go to work at double the salary previously paid. Mr. Crider found that change was mighty scarce and one day he took out his watch and unfasted the chain and started for Pawnbrokers row on South Clark Street, intending anyhow, not to walk home that evening. As it was his first and luckily his last attempt, he did precisely what most novices in need do. He walked briskly to the three ball sign and slowly passed the door; he retraced his steps and passed it again. Mastering up courage the next time he entered the door and faced the money lender behind the counter and said: "I say, I want to know how much, how much, I can buy another watch just like this for?" And on being told he left the store, walked home, and the next day went to work again.

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A rather young looking man whose face was unshaven, and whose general makeup denoted anxiety and care, came into Henry Woods' drug store the other day and anxiously inquired for McLean's Cordial. Mr. Woods carefully wrapped the bottle in his usual tasty style and passed it over to the cordial seeker with the terse statement, "One dollar, please." "A dollar!" repeated the customer. "Haven't you any other kind of medicine to keep babies still that's cheaper?" "Yes," said Henry, "We have Godfrey's Cordial, Castoria and Soothing Syrup."

"How much is Godfrey's Cordial?"

"Ten cents."

"What is the dose for a baby?"
"How old is the baby?"
"Well now, I'll tell you," leaning over confidentially to Mr. Wood, "it is no age yet, I'm only getting ready for it."

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At a fancy dress ball in Fredonia the other evening several of the young gentlemen were anxious to characterize some age or event that was decidedly novel. There were in consequence a great deal of studying over old musty volumes that dated back to somewhere near the era of the introduction of movable types.

Old Uncle Josh is an inveterate stutterer, in fact he generally hesitates so long and stammers so gurgingly and puts so many semiquavers in his replies that most people will go around the road three or four miles rather than to have him say, "good day," to them; he says it in such a wonderfully, extravagant, exasperating, suffocating way. Uncle Josh, however, is an authority on social events, and if one has two or three days time, it is worth while to hear him tell about his first german just before the war. But don't leave him before he gets through talking, even if it takes a week because he is touchy on his elocution.

George Hall is a finely formed young man, a fine dresser and a good dancer, and it occurred to him that Uncle Josh could give him a pointer on a fancy costume that would make the rest of the push wild with remorse. George's head is as smooth and shiny and round as a recently varnished foot ball, but he tackled Uncle Josh with the question, what costume he should wear.

Uncle Josh looked him over carefully, he noticed the round shiny top piece and then his eyes commenced to close and his cheeks to swell up, and his mouth seemed to want to open, but couldn't; finally by a supreme effort, he said:

"Go, get you your head sugared coated and go go go as a pill."

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A friend tells us of an 8-year-old boy, the son of a minister of the Christian church, who has inherited all the traditional baptism-by-immersion principles, and by close attention given to the ceremony as performed by the fond parent, is able to repeat it word for word. A few days ago he filled a tub with water in the back kitchen and catching the family cat and two kittens proceeded to teach them the essential rites of the Christian church. The kittens underwent the ordeal without protest, but the cat showed displeasure by scratching the boy's face. Throwing the offending animal down he said in disgust: "D—n it, be a Presbyterian if you want to."

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Nearly everybody who reads the Press, and most everybody does, is acquainted with Press Maxwell. If a man happens to find himself short of money and most of us do at times, and some of us do between times, he is the one to whom we hasten our steps, in fact run, and we would fly if we could, to see if he was at all overburdened with the article we ardently desire. Mr. Maxwell, altho one of the kindest and most liberal men on earth, doesn't throw his money to the dicey birds not if he knows it, and he is as a general thing, well posted. But about eight years ago he made a loan to a party by the name of Abram N. Nichols. The note matured as notes will and Mr. Nichols promptly renewed it, adding the years interest to the principal, and thus he continued in that prompt way so satisfactory to financial men for seven years, until what was once a moderate sized affair became somewhat fleshy with the lapse of years and interest. At the date of maturity of the eighth year, Mr. Maxwell indited a letter to the gentleman who had borrowed his money stating that the matter had run along for eight years and he wanted the note paid. To this he received a reply about as follows:

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George Crider, our very popular and obliging postmaster, was years ago before he became so familiar with Uncle Sam, a telegraph operator, and he was located in the sugar district in Chicago. At the time of the grand strike of the commercial telegraphers, George of course struck too, and struck hard. Days merged into weeks, and with no pay days and car fares to provide, for like all union men the telegraphers met once a day to tell each other how that blasted old monopoly, the Western Union Telegraph Company would soon, anyhow in a day or two, be begging them all to come back and go to work at double the salary previously paid. Mr. Crider found that change was mighty scarce and one day he took out his watch and unfastened the chain and started for Pawnbrokers row on South Clark Street, intending anyhow, not to walk home that evening. As it was his first and luckily his last attempt, he did precisely what most novices in need do. He walked briskly to the three ball sign and slowly passed the door; he retraced his steps and passed it again. Mustering up courage the next time he entered the door and faced the money lender behind the counter and said: "I say, I want to know how much, how much, I can buy another watch just like this for?" And on being told he left the store, walked home, and the next day went to work again.

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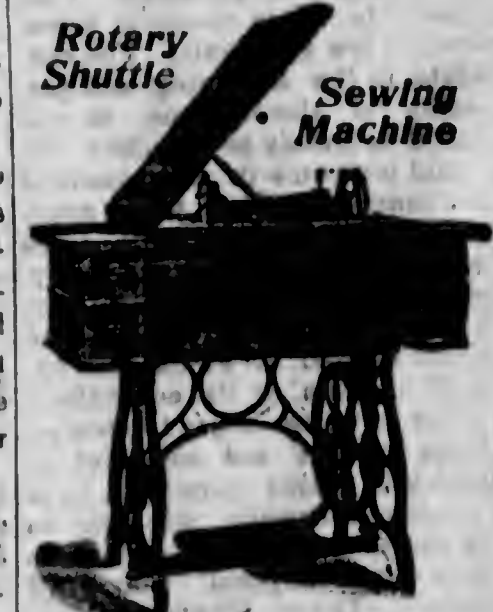
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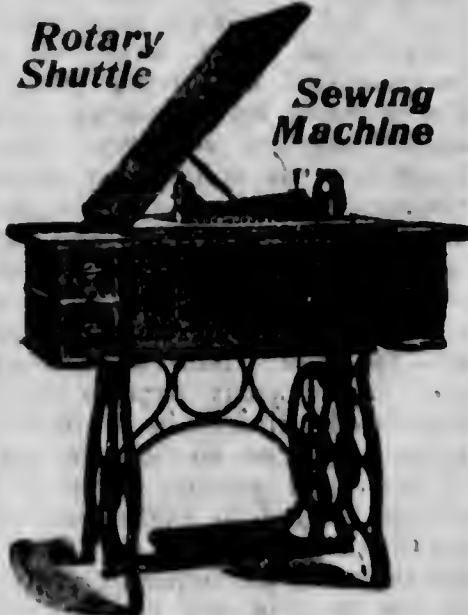
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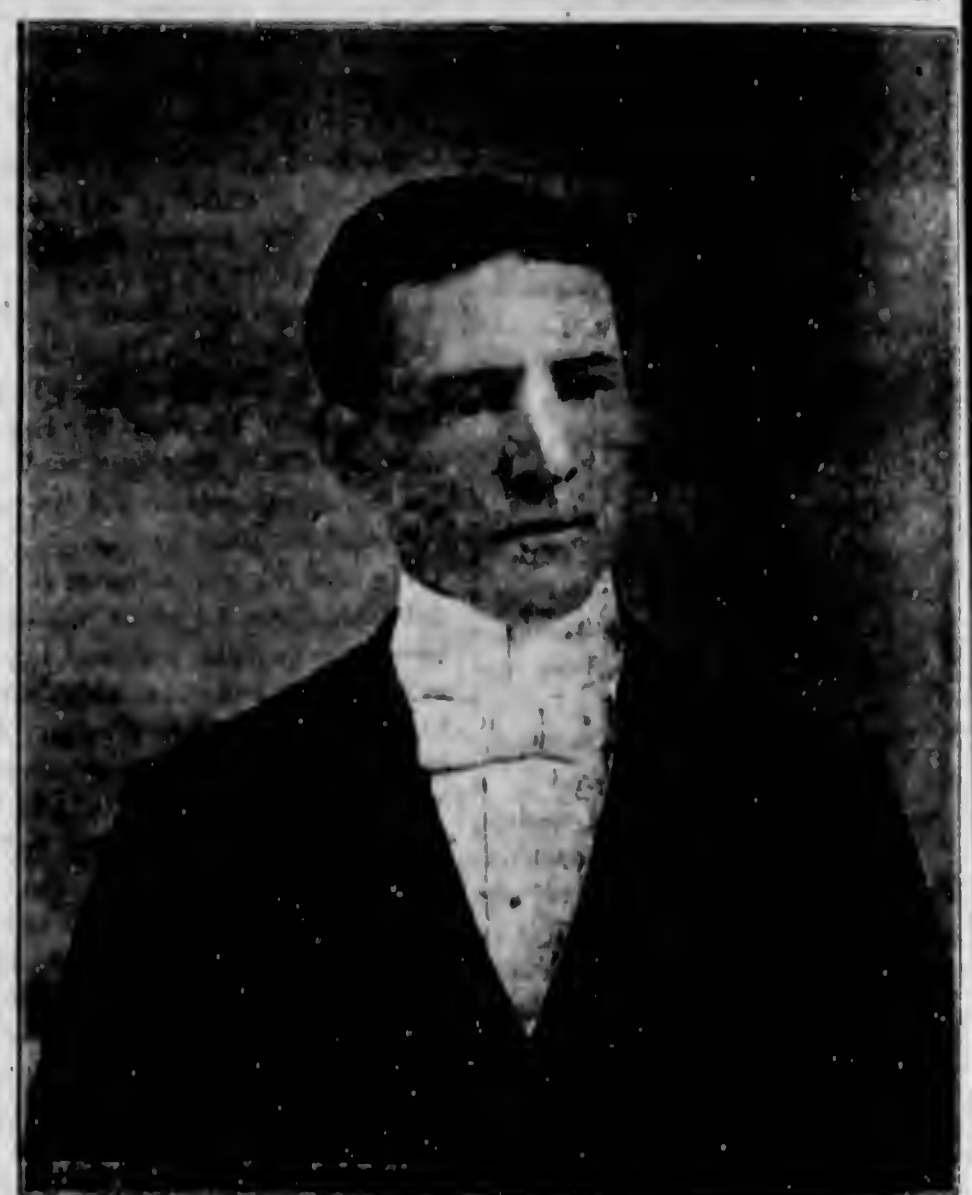
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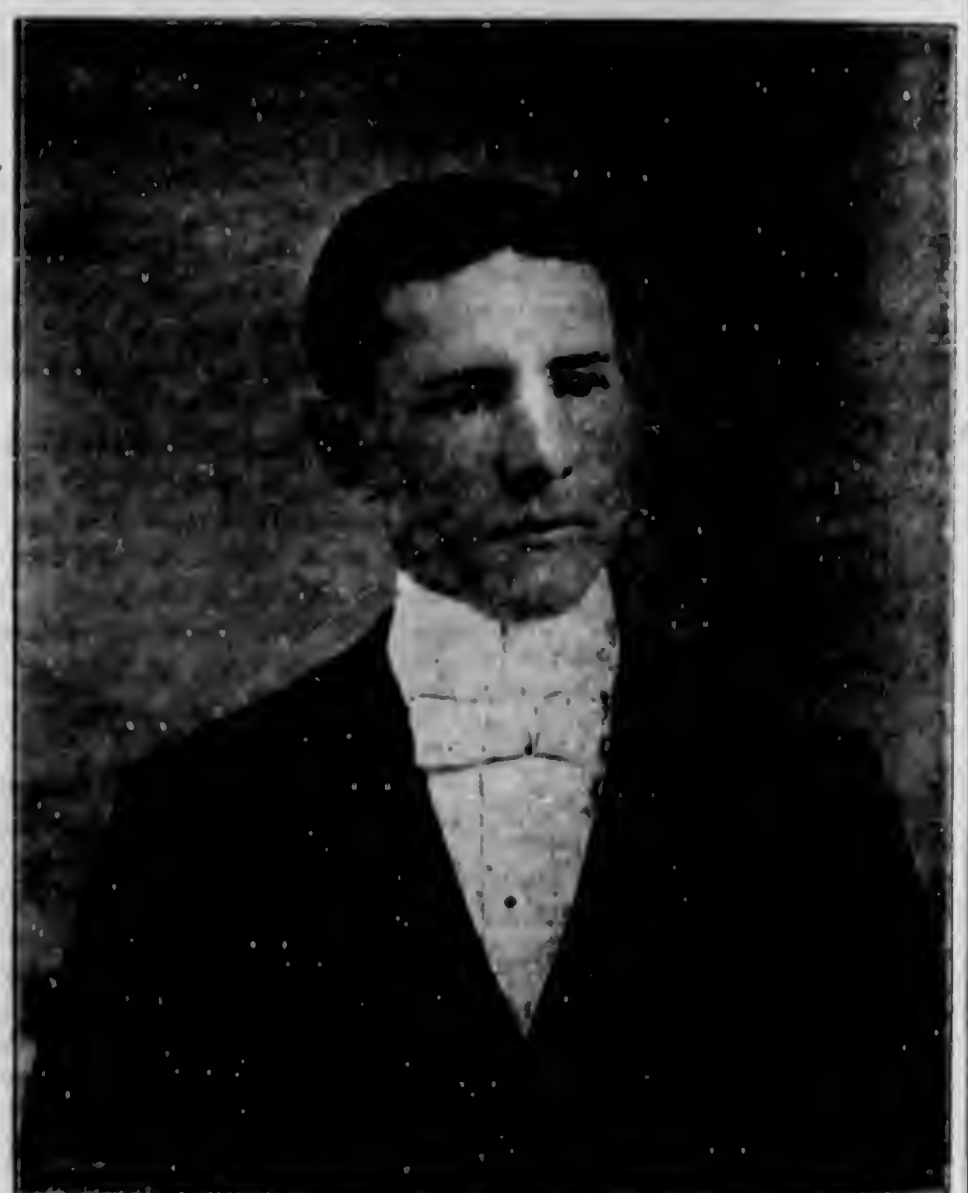
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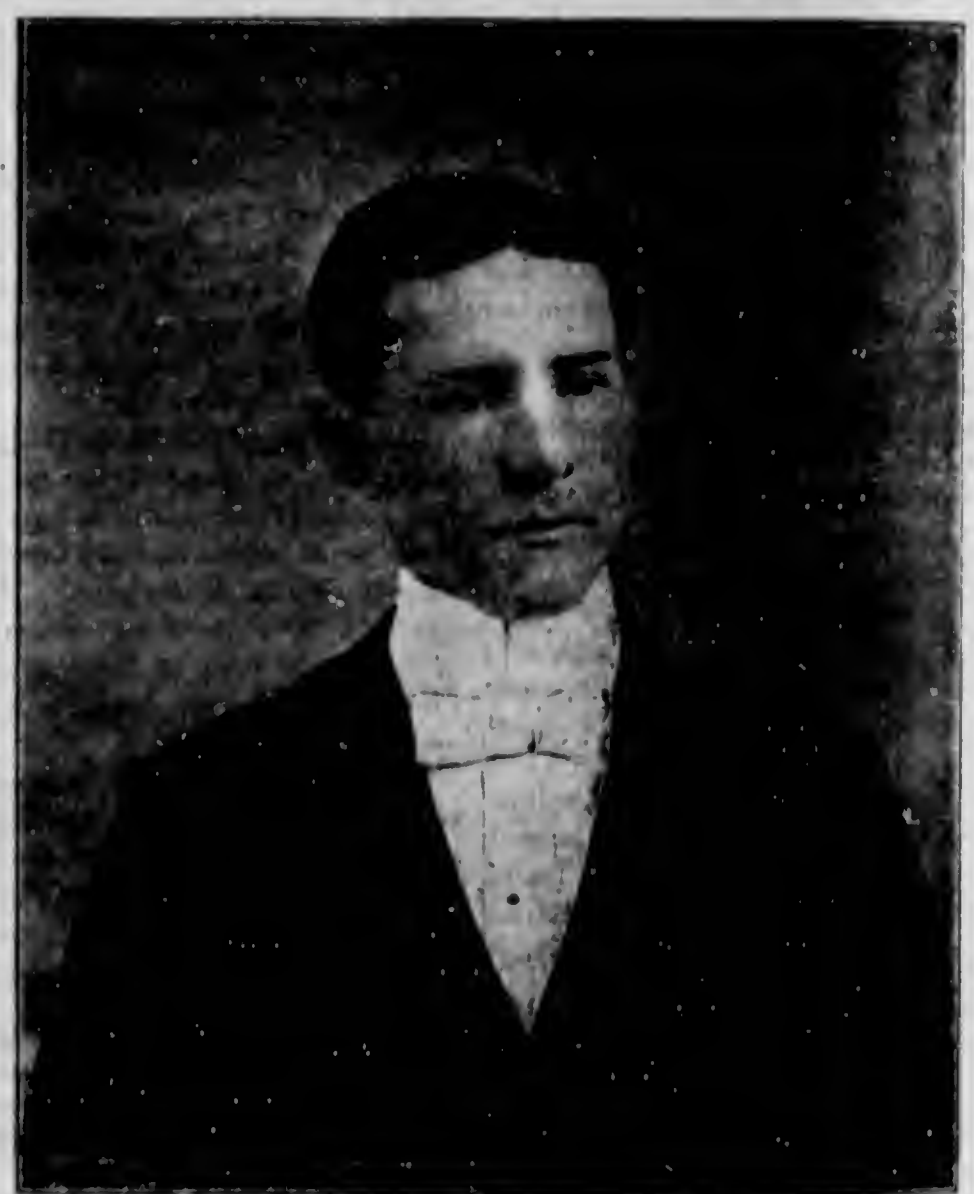
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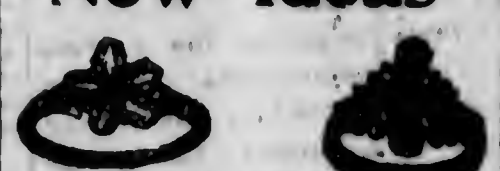
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Mrs. John Brantley and children are visiting relatives in Illinois.

Mrs. Carrie Thomas left yesterday to visit relatives in Louisville.

Try Lowney's candies if you want the best.—H. K. Woods & Co.

Miss Allie Butler, of Salem, is the guest of relatives at this place.

Headquarters for the Magnolia Laundry at McConnell & Stone's.

Mr. and Mrs. Will D. Cannon, of Sturgis, spent Sunday at this place.

Mr. W. M. Hopewell, of Sturgis, spent Saturday and Sunday in Marion.

Mr. W. M. Harth, of Caseyville, was a guest of the New Marion Saturday.

Jim Gardner, colored, died Monday night. He suffered with consumption.

Nothing but the best of work done by Orange & Woldridge, the barbers.

Judge Hays, a prominent stock man, of Russellville, was in town this week.

Messrs. Sam Howerton and Will Johnson, of Kelsey, were in the city Thursday.

Col. D. C. Roberts will spend the Christmas holidays with his family in Chicago.

Only six days until the voting contest closes. Have you paid your subscription and voted?

Oysters, celery, cranberries, and everything for the Christmas dinner, can be found at Copher's.

Messrs. Carl Henderson and Leona Guss went to the Ohio river this week to hunt for wild geese.

The Presbyterian Sunday school will have an entertainment for the little folks at the church Christmas eve.

Mrs. P. H. Woods was called to Louisville Tuesday by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Crumbaugh.

The pupils of the Methodist Sunday school will enjoy a Christmas tree at the church Tuesday evening.

The greatest musical attraction ever at the opera house, The Hawthorne Club, Saturday night, Dec. 27th.

Rev. T. A. Conway has been sick for several days and on account of his illness no services were held at the Baptist church.

Mr. Frank Decker, representing the Herald-Commercial, the successor of the Louisville Commercial, was in town Tuesday.

The Salem and Shady Grove mail carriers were unable to make their trips Monday, owing to the bad condition of the roads.

During the holidays we will make a special price in clothing. It will pay you to get our prices before you buy.

Gus Taylor.

Don't delay securing your seats for the Hawthorne Musical Club. Unless the advance sale is good the engagement will be cancelled Monday.

Mail and telephone orders promptly filled.—Wm. HARRIGAN.

Mrs. J. R. Finley is visiting her son, Mr. Percy Finley, at Cairo, Ill.

Call and see Woods & Co's., line of Christmas goods before making your purchase.

Miss Bertha Schoolcraft, of Repton, visited relatives at this place the first of the week.

Boys' up to date overcoats for boys 5 to 15 years old at a bargain. GUS TAYLOR.

Mr. G. W. Arfack bought the Press another wonder from the vegetable world. It is a twin turnip.

Old Hickory for sale by Doss. See his goods and get special prices for holiday goods.

Mr. R. C. Haynes returned last week from a visit to his brother, Mr. C. Y. Haynes, of Gunnison, Miss.

Two solid hours of refined comedy, instrumental and vocal music.—The Hawthorne Musical Club.

A number of the schools in the county close Friday, having completed the five month term.

Holiday rates of one and one-third fare on the I. C. railroad Dec. 23, 24, 25 and Dec. 31st, and Jan. 1st. L. Johnson, Agt.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Johnson will entertain this evening in honor of their guest, Miss Rose Johnson, of Fordeville.

The ladies of the Christian church will have Christmas cakes on sale at Mrs. Frauke's millinery store Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Coming under a heavy guarantee—the greatest entertainment of its kind—The Hawthorne Musical Club. Seat sale at Press office. Prices, 25c, 50c and 75c.

Mr. E. E. Trail has moved his barber establishment into the building formerly occupied by the Oppenheimers.

Ladies, if you want a ready made skirt at a bargain, come at once. I will return all I have on hand Jan. 1st. GUS TAYLOR.

The city school will be dismissed Friday for the Christmas holidays. Work will be resumed Monday, Jan. 5th.

Wm. Harrigan has added a bar for colored people; it is the only saloon that has white and colored bars.

Mr. J. H. Parrish, a prominent young traveling man, was a pleasant caller at the Press office yesterday. He is visiting his parents at Frances.

We have 25 up to date overcoats left that will be closed out at a bargain. See us before they are gone. GUS TAYLOR.

Another pleasant evening of dancing was enjoyed by the young people at the opera house Thursday night. Messrs. Glascock and Terry furnished the music.

For a nice, stylish hair cut, and a clean, comfortable shave, go to Woodridge & Orange, one door below the post office.

Don't forget to attend the Bazaar to be given by the ladies of the M. E. church at the opera house Thursday night.

Finest line of Chocolate Candies every brought to the city at Copher's.

Mr. George Boston, of this city fell from a ladder while at work in the new bank building at Sturgis, several days ago, and was painfully injured.

The resignation of the Hon. Thos. J. Nunn, as Circuit Judge of this district has been sent to the Governor. It is to become effective on Dec. 31st.

All kinds of nice things for Christmas gifts for the old and young can be found at the Bazaar at the opera house Thursday night.

Mr. James Clement and family, of Henshaw, were the guests of relatives in this city the first of the week. They were en route to Beaumont, Texas, where they will reside in future.

"The best is always the cheapest." The Majestic Range is best and we want you to come in and let us tell you why. Don't get left.

Nearly two hundred votes were cast in the contest the past week. Hundreds of ballots will be cast before the close and the result can not be foretold.

It is reported that Tom Cox, Cam Wells, Lewis Rago, and five other young men of this city went to New Orleans last week to take the place of the union men at the freight depot that are out on a strike.

THE CLOSING DAYS FILLED WITH EXCITEMENT

Two Hundred Votes Cast This Week—Miss Summers Leads Miss Franks and Mrs. Duvall Gains Heavily.

RUMORS OF A DARK HORSE!

The Press Voting Contest to determine the most popular lady in Crittenden and Livingston counties ends in a few days.

Votes are coming in at a rapid rate. Three ladies are almost equal in strength, other contestants have excellent chances even at this, almost the eleventh hour, and there are rumors of a dark horse. The result cannot be foretold. The race will be warmly contested from now until the finish, and evidently the victory will be won by a narrow majority.

During the past week nearly two hundred votes were cast. Miss Sallie Summers, of Livingston county, leads again this week. Miss Maggie Franks is second and Mrs. Duvall is third. Each of these polled a heavy vote. Miss Summers increased her strength nearly one hundred votes. There is one new contestant this week.

The last count before the final count was made Tuesday. The ballot box looked and the keys turned over to members of the canvassing committee. Next Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, the contest closes, the ballot box given into the hands of the committee, the final count made, and the result announced. The prize will be awarded the winner on Christmas day.

The following gentlemen will make the final count: Messrs. G. M. Oader, P. S. Maxwell, C. E. Weldon, J. P. Pierce and T. A. Frazer.

The contest has been conducted in a fair and impartial manner by the Press, and will be so conducted until the end. Every four votes that have been cast represent \$1.00 paid as subscription to the Press. Our cash books show every dollar that has been paid and who paid it. The amount paid in and the total vote will exactly correspond. We only give these facts to show that there is no possibility of fraudulent voting. There was not a single complaint made last year regarding the management of the contest, and no complaints have been made this year.

And now we leave it with you. The voting done between last Tuesday and next Wednesday will determine the winner of the set of dining room furniture.

Tuesday's count shows the standing of the contestants to be as follows:

Miss Sallie Summers	214
Miss Maggie Franks	171
Mrs. E. M. Duvall	130
Miss Edwinie Davis	100
Mrs. Lillie Flannery	58
Mrs. Owen Boaz	50
Mrs. H. D. McChesney	44
Miss Ida Bebout	36
Mrs. S. R. Adams	32
Mrs. Fred Casner	30
Miss Fannie Gray	12
Mrs. N. R. Farris	10
Mrs. Della Kirk	8
Mrs. R. F. Haynes	8
Mrs. W. S. Riggs	4
Miss Alma Postlawait	4
Mrs. L. W. Cruce	4

Messrs. J. P. Pierce and E. J. Hayward returned Sunday from Louisiana, where they spent two weeks hunting. They killed four deer.

There are many reasons why you should buy our shoes.

Yandell-Gugenheim Co

Mr. C. C. Grassham of Smithland has announced that he will not be a candidate for State Senator. His law practice will not allow him to make the race.

Hot biscuits and delicious coffee this week at Cochran & Baker's. Be sure to see the Great Majestic Range. Don't get left.

Mr. Arthur B. Jarvis, the tobacco man, of Henderson was a guest at the New Marion this week. The Jarvis tobacco house in this city will probably be leased to Mr. J. A. Stegar, of Princeton for the present season.

You'll be sorry if you don't buy our suits.

Yandell-Gugenheim Co

Ernest Elmendorf gave bond at Smithland and was released. He is charged with being implicated in the robbery of Johnson Bros., safe at Lola, and assisting Charles Culver, the convicted safe blower, in attempting to escape from the Livingston county jail.

After you see the Majestic Range at Cochran & Baker's you'll wonder how you have managed to get along without one. Don't get left.

Robert McCollum, was fatally injured while at work in the Cumberland coal mine at Sturgis, and died Tuesday night. He formerly lived in Crittenden county and the remains were buried at Bells Mines. He was seventy years old.

You'll be glad if you buy one of our new overcoats.

Yandell-Gugenheim Co

The only three year old "Old Hickory" in Marion is at Harrigan's. \$2.50 per gallon. The same in price as the other but a year older.

The Great Gift-giving Holiday is Almost Here.

H. K. WOODS & CO.,

Have hundreds of the most suitable gifts imaginable. A magnificent assortment of New Christmas Goods. We will mention just a few to give you an idea of what a nice lot of things we have:

Toilet Sets	Glove Boxes	Teachers Bibles
Manicure Sets	Handkerchief Boxes	Family Bibles
Writing Sets	Necktie Boxes	Childrens Bibles
Shaving Sets	Collar and Cuff Boxes	Writing Desks
Military Brushes	Work Boxes	Mirrors
Tea Sets	Smoking Sets	Jewel Boxes
Copyright Books	Photograph Albums	Card Games
Picture Books	Photograph Boxes	Ping Pong
Gift Books	Fancy Calendars	Crokinole

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Come and see us, we will take pleasure in showing you our goods, and we are sure that you will find what you desire here.

Complete Stock of Drugs.

Prescriptions Filled at all Hours.

H. K. Woods & Co.

Xmas Goods

We are not sole agents for Santa Claus, but we are headquarters for hundreds of useful articles that would make nice sensible "gift thing" for Xmas. Here's a list of a few nice things we can show you:

Fine Neckwear Beautiful Rugs
Silk Mufflers Nice Gloves
Fine Table Linens Fur Scarfs
Fine Handkerchiefs Napkins
Fine White Quilts Towels
The Latest Waistings
Large All-wool Blankets
New Lines of Dress Goods
Big Bargain in Overcoats, Ladies and Childrens Jackets.

Cliftons.

The Musical Event of the Season.

OPERA HOUSE

Saturday Night, Dec. 27.



The Famous Hawthorne Musical Club of Boston

Judge Ben Cissell, of Henderson, fell while walking in his yard Saturday, sustaining serious injuries. He is over eighty years old, and owing to his advanced age his recovery is doubtful. A good many years ago Mr. Cissell served this district as circuit judge and he has many friends in this city who will regret to hear of his misfortune.

Nobby neckwear at Yandell-Gugenheim Co

All subscribers that are in arrears with the Press will be out of the mailing lists after January 1st. For the last year the Press has refused to accept subscriptions unless accompanied by the cash. This policy will be strictly adhered to in the future. If you owe us and desire the paper to continue, pay up at once.

The finest line of whisky in Marion at Harrigan's.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale directed to me which issued from the Clerk's office of the Crittenden Quarterly Court in the action in the Crittenden Circuit Court between W. D. Greer, Executor of Jane A. Cosby, deceased, against J. F. Luster and Elmina Croft for the sum of dollars and cents, I, or one of my deputies, will on Thursday, the 1st day of January, 1903, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 2 o'clock p. m., at the door of the Post-office at Tolu in Crittenden county, Ky., expose to PUBLIC SALE, to the highest bidder, the following property (or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy Plaintiff's debt, interest and costs), to-wit: One thousand bushels of corn on Hurricane Island levied upon as the property of J. F. Luster.

TERMS: Sale will be made on a credit of three months, bond with approved security required of the purchaser, with interest from date at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, and having the force and effect of a replevin bond. Witness my hand, this 15th day of December, 1902. J. W. LAMB, Sheriff C. C.

Levi Cook, MARION, KY.

John D. Rockefeller and several other wealthy men whose names are withheld, will create a vast trust fund to promote education by aiding existing schools throughout the country. A bill incorporating a general education corporation with headquarters at Washington has already passed Congress, naming several producers who shall be of the fund. Each will be given

Chicago city authorities have started a vigorous warfare against all hotels not provided with proper protection against fire.

During consideration of the Statehood bill in the senate Mr. Quay declared: "If the Republicans can lie to the people about the admission of their Territories in their platform, they can lie about every other provision of the platform."

Samuel E. Morse, former consul-general at Paris, in an interview expresses an opinion that England and Germany will ultimately seize Venezuela territory. He asserts that Venezuela can not pay the claims out of her current resources, and that the two powers will either have to take territory or withdraw their claims. The United States, according to Mr. Morse, has violated the corollary of the Monroe doctrine by acquiring territory in the old world, and can not attempt to keep Old World Powers out of the New, without exciting Europe to hostile condition.

Christmas Whiskies.

The finest line of High Grade Whiskies, Wines and Brandies to be found in Marion, is at

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The only 3 year old "Old Hickory" \$2.25 per gallon.
Double stamp "Old Barbee" 4.00 "
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The Only Separate White and Colored Bars.

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Columbia Disc Graphophones are superior to all others. Our flat, indestructible records are composed of a material controlled exclusively by us. They are the sweetest, smoothest and most brilliant records ever heard. Until you listen to them you can form no accurate idea of the progress that has been made in bringing disc records to the point of perfection. Their excellence is fully equalled by their durability.

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By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Crittenden Circuit Court, rendered the 12th day of June, 1902, in the above cause for the sum of \$225.00 with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 12th day of January, 1903, until paid, and \$40.25 costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court house door in Marion to the highest bidder, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday the 12th day of January, 1903, at 1 o'clock a. m., or thereabout, (being Court day), upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to wit:

A piece of land, containing ten acres, being in Crittenden County, Kentucky, on the waters of both Claylick and Deer creek, and same conveyed to him, J. H. Floyd, on the 15th day of June, 1888, by V. Floyd and wife and J. H. Floyd and wife and now occupied by J. H. Floyd, and bounded thus: Begins at a stone at corner of his garden, thence with F. and Wallace Ferry road, N. 22 1/2° poles to a stone in old line, thence with said line West 71 poles to a stake on a branch with hickory pointers, corner to T. C. Carter, thence up the branch Carter line S. 29° W. 22 3/4° poles to a stake with hickory pointer, thence East 73 poles to the beginning, containing ten acres.

It is further ordered, that if the above described tract of land does not bring enough to satisfy in full the balance of the plaintiff's debts, interest and costs, said Commissioner will then sell some entire half of the following described tract of land, lying and being in Crittenden County, Ky., on the waters of Hurricane Creek and being the same land conveyed to Henry C. Ward by John L. Sisco and wife, May 25th 1891, and the whole of said tract is bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone in Mrs. Bebout's line, corner to a piece of land sold by J. W. Blue, Sr., to G. W. Foley, thence with said Bebout's line N. 75° W. 78 poles to a black oak stump, corner to said Bebout, thence with another line of said Bebout's N. 70° W. 33 poles to a stake with hickory and dogwood pointers, corner to T. J. Hoover, thence with a line of same N. 17° E., passing said Hoover's post oak corner at 13 poles in all 80 poles to a hickory corner, corner to Hoover, old survey, thence with a line of same N. 11° W. 15 poles to a stake in the public road, leading from W. P. Clement's to the Columbia Lead Mines, thence with said road S. 82 1/2° E. 46 poles to a stake in said road with post-oak and black-oak pointers, thence with said road S. 74° E. 34 poles and 6 links to a stake in J. W. Thompson's line with black oak pointers, thence with his line S. 72° E. 13 poles and 7 links to a stone with two dogwood pointers, corner to said Thompson, thence with another line of same N. 68° E. 17 links to a stone, Foley's corner, thence with his line S. 92° poles to the beginning containing by survey 62 4/5 acres. And whereas an agreement was heretofore had and entered into as to a division of said described tract of land in which it was agreed and understood that T. J. Hoover was to get and have 31 and 2/5 acres of said land, having purchased same from H. C. Ward and wife, it also being agreed that said division line as near as said Ward and said Hoover could determine would run as follows: Beginning at a sugar tree in the 12 pole division line of said survey, thence a line across said survey running about S. 72° E. to a stake in the 90 pole line, being the third line of said survey, distance supposed to be 108 poles. It is further ordered, that T. J. Hoover take and hold 31 2/5 acres of said land on the South side of said supposed line, and the remainder, 31 2/5 acres, on the North side of said supposed division line the Commissioner of this Court will sell, or sufficient thereof, to produce the sum of money so ordered to be made. For the purchase price the purchaser, with approved security or securities, must execute bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a judgment, holders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

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We will pay 38 cents per bushel for white corn, must be delivered to us shucked.
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Commissioners Sale

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Against
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RULES GOVERNING CONTEST.

(1) Every lady, married or unmarried, residing in Crittenden and Livingston counties, is eligible to enter the contest.

(2) Every \$1.00 paid on subscription to the Press entitles the subscriber to four votes in the contest. Every 25 cent subscription entitles the subscriber to one vote.

(3) A contestant must reside in either Crittenden or Livingston county; the voter may reside anywhere in the United States.

(4) No restrictions are placed on the voter, except that all votes must be cast on ballots provided by the Press for use in said contest.

(5) The voter may pay all his arrears, and may pay his subscription as many years in advance as he may desire and for each dollar so paid receive a ticket entitling the holder to four votes in the contest.

(6) As received the ballots will be placed in a locked box kept in the Press office for that purpose. The box will be opened every Wednesday morning, and the ballots counted. The next day's issue of the Press will contain the standing of each candidate. The report will appear each week.

(7) The last contest before the close of the contest will be made on WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 17th. The ballot-box will then be locked, the key given to some reputable citizen for safe keeping, and the box remain unopened until the close.

(8) The contest will be closed at 4 o'clock WEDNESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 24th.

(9) Immediately after the close a committee of three reputable and disinterested citizens will take charge of the ballot box, open and count the ballots, and determine the winner in the contest.

(10) The contest will be conducted in the most impartial manner and these rules will be strictly observed. These interested should read them carefully.

MANAGER WANTED.

We desire to employ a trustworthy lady or gentleman to manage our business in this county and adjoining territory. Our house is well and favorably known.

\$20 straight cash salary and all expenses paid each week by check from headquarters. Experience unnecessary; position permanent. Address Thomas J. Cooper, Manager, 1010 Calton building, Chicago, Ill.

A Million Voices
Could hardly express the thanks of Homer Hall, of West Point, Ia. Listen why: A severe cold had settled on his lungs, causing a most obstinate cough. Several physicians said he had consumption; but could not help him. When all thought he was doomed he began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and writes "It completely cured me and saved my life. I now weigh 275 lbs. It's positively guaranteed for all lung troubles. I feel like a new man." Price 25 cents at H. K. Woods & Co's, druggists.

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GENERAL NEWS.

The Happenings of Interest in all Parts of the World.

THE TREND OF CURRENT HISTORY.

John D. Rockefeller and several other wealthy men whose names are withheld, will create a vast trust fund to promote education by aiding existing schools throughout the country. A bill incorporating a general education corporation with headquarters at Washington has already passed Congress, naming several prominent educators who shall have charge of the fund. Especial attention will be given to the work of raising the standard and capacity of Southern schools, for both whites and negroes.

Chicago city authorities have started a vigorous warfare against all hotels not provided with proper protection against fire.

During consideration of the Statehood bill in the senate Mr. Quay declared: "If the Republicans can lie to the people about the admission of their Territories in their platform, they can lie about every other provision of the platform."

Samuel E. Morse, former consul-general at Paris, in an interview expresses an opinion that England and Germany will ultimately seize Venezuela territory. He asserts that Venezuela can not pay the claims out of her current resources, and that the two powers will either have to take territory or withdraw their claims. The United States, according to Mr. Morse, has violated the corollary of the Monroe doctrine by acquiring territory in the old world, and can not attempt to keep Old World Powers out of the New, without exciting Europe to hostile coalition.

FASHION HINTS FOR WINTER

Velvet, velveteen and corduroy costumes are among the season's smartest modes.

An excellent choice for street attire is a fabric showing a shaggy hairy texture, such as zibeline or camel's hair.

The sloping or drug shoulder effect is seen in many of the newest bodices; and the Duchess closing is a distinctive feature of the newest shirt waists.

At last a change has come in skirts, which for the street are noticeably shorter; there is a marked tendency to give up the full-bowels and ruffles and adopt the severer tailor-made models. The hip yoke is a feature of the majority of new skirts.

The boa is a picturesque stole, and cape collars of every shape and depth, are prominent among the season's fashions.

Among the innovations in materials are the metallic tints and effects in heavy, rough cloths, zibelines, vigognes, homespuns, etc., and "Coronation cloth" a heavy winter goods, suitable for skating, golf, etc.

Long nap plush is being revived this winter, and Pompadour silks are a foundation for net, chiffon, and other sheer textiles are established in high favor.

Among the smartest accessories of the toilet are a tall stock collar, cuffs and belt girdle, preferably of a contrasting material.

Embroidery is very prominent in all the fashions.

One of the latest novelties employed in the trimming for tailor-made gowns is suede undressed kid skin.

A unique trimming for the new cloth ribbon embroidered in Oriental colors.—From The Delineator for January.

A house and two acres of land, at the Barnbey mines, well and young orchard. Price \$150. A good home or mine. See Boardland & Walker.

ANOTHER RAILROAD.

Change of the Depot at Marion. A Splendid Investment.

The St. Louis-Nashville Short Line of the Illinois Central R. R. will cross the 120 acre tract of John P. Reed at Marion. The yards and depot will be located not far from the East frontage of this land as the present depot site is much too small for our greatly increased shipments.

THE BUILDING LOTS

To be laid out on 100 acres of this land will be located in the choicest portion of the city of Marion and will quickly advance in value over the present upset price of

FIFTY DOLLARS EACH

Nearly all of our American cities have a sure tendency to make their greatest growth southward, and Marion seems to be no exception. These lots are now within half a mile of the center of the city, and with the depot in their immediate vicinity their future value is easily computed.

A GRAND OPPORTUNITY.

is here offered to people of both large and those of limited means. The future of Marion is assured. Her great productive mines of zinc and lead and fluor spar alone would be sufficient to increase her population one hundred times its present size. The county's magnificent crops of wheat, corn, tobacco, the fat hives, hogs and sheep that are continually being shipped north and east is an additional and positive guarantee of her future.

FIFTY DOLLAR LOTS.

fronting on broad streets, with ample alleys in the rear of each lot what will be the center of this wonderful and rapid growing city is an offer that seldom occurs more than once in a lifetime.

Purchasers of one of these lots in addition to securing a perfect fee simple title to the surface ground, 50x150 feet, will in addition receive 1000 shares of the capital stock of the Reed Mining and Land company of Marion, Ky. The great veins of lead and zinc ore underlying the surface of the 120 acres mentioned is spoken of in the Crittenden Press of November 3d, as follows:

"One of the most important discoveries of mineral bearing dikes yet made in this county is located hardly a mile from the Marion post-office. It is a magnificent showing of lead and zinc ore bearing vein. At the surface it is fully 18 feet wide, fairly bristling with mineral. It has been thought for some time that the rich ores of lead and zinc that have from time to time been hoisted from the Bigham shaft on the railroad, must make a surface appearance somewhere on the line of this or a kindred vein. A very few days ago this splendid example of mineral wealth was found on the farm of John P. Reed, in a little grove of oak near the tobacco barn, very nearly in the city limits. From its general appearance, size and altitude it is certain to be an immense producer and shipper of both lead and zinc."

Twenty acres of the surface and the mineral rights under the whole, is reserved for the mining plant and reduction works. The great ore shafts will be sunk on the veins outcropping, as mentioned in the above clipping; \$5,000 in cash is appropriated for mining expenses, although it is possible that the ore output will create dividends from the first month of operation. It is a rare opportunity to secure a home and at the same time to provide for its maintenance. Fifty dollars pays for it all; a handsome lot and 1,000 shares of stock in what may be the banner mine of this marvelous district.

Write to D. C. ROBERTS, Secretary and Treasurer, Marion, Ky.

Corn, Corn.

We will pay 38 cents per bushel for white corn must be delivered to us shucked.

Marion Milling Co.

Commissioners Sale

Crittenden Circuit Court, Ky. The Huber Mfg Co., Plaintiff. Against J. H. Floyd et al., Defendants.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Crittenden Circuit Court, rendered at the June term thereof, 1902, in the above cause for the sum of \$282.30 with interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the 12th day of January, 1903, until paid, and \$4.25 costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Marion to the highest bidder, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday the 12th day of January, 1903, at 1 o'clock p. m., or thereabout, (bring Court day), upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

A piece of land, containing ten acres, being in Crittenden County, Kentucky, on the waters of both Claylick and Deer creek, and same conveyed to him, J. H. Floyd, on the 15th day of June, 1898, by V. Floyd and wife and J. T. Floyd and wife and now occupied by J. H. Floyd, and bounded thus: Begins at a stone at corner of the garden, thence with E. and Wallace Ferry road, N. 23° poles to a stone in old line, thence with said line West 71 poles to a stake on a branch with hickory pointers, corner to T. C. Carter, thence up the branch Carter line S. 29° W. 22 1/4 poles to a stake with hickory pointer, thence East 71 poles to the beginning, containing ten acres.

It is further ordered, that if the above described tract of land does not bring enough to satisfy in full the balance of the plaintiff's debts, interest and costs, said Commissioner will then sell one entire half of the following described tract of land, lying and being in Crittenden County, Ky., on the waters of Hurricane Creek and being the same land conveyed to Henry C. Ward by John L. Sisco and wife, May 25th 1891, and the whole of said tract is bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone in the line of the line, corner to a piece of land sold by J. W. Blue, Sr., to D. W. Foley, thence with said Houbert's line N. 75° W. 78 poles to a black oak stump, corner to said Houbert, thence with another line of said Houbert's N. 70° W. 21 poles to a stake with hickory and dogwood pointers, corner to T. J. Hoover, thence with a line of same N. 17° E., passing said Hoover's post oak corner at 11 poles in all 91 poles to a hickory corner, corner to Hoover's old survey, thence with a line of same N. 11° W. 15 poles to a stake in the public road, leading from W. P. Clement's to the Columbia Lead Mines, thence with said road S. 82° E. 46 poles to a stake in said road with post oak and black oak pointers, thence with said road S. 74° E. 34 poles and 6 links to a stake in L. W. Thompson's line with black oak pointers, thence with his line S. 32° E. 13 poles and 7 links to a stone with two dogwood pointers, corner to said Thompson, thence with another line of same N. 68° E. 17 links to a stone, Foley's corner, thence with his line S. 92 poles to the beginning containing by survey 124.5 acres. And whereas an agreement was heretofore had and entered into as to a division of said described tract of land in which it was agreed and understood that T. J. Hoover was to get and have 31 and 25 acres of said land, having purchased same from H. C. Ward and wife, it is also being agreed that said division line as near as said Ward and said Hoover could determine would run as follows: Beginning at a sugar tree in the 92 pole closing line of said survey, thence a line across said survey running about S. 72° E. to a stake in the 90 pole line, being the third line of said survey, distance supposed to be 108 poles. It is further ordered, that T. J. Hoover take and hold 31 25 acres of said land on the South side of said supposed line, and the remainder, 31 25 acres, on the North side of said supposed division line the Commissioner of this Court will sell, or sufficient thereof to produce the sum of money so ordered to be made. For the purchase price the purchaser, with approved security or securities, must execute bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

L. W. CRUCE, Commissioner.

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RULES GOVERNING CONTEST.

- (1) Every lady, married or unmarried, residing in Crittenden and Livingston counties, is eligible to enter the contest.
- (2) Every \$1.00 paid on subscription to the Press entitles the subscriber to four votes in the contest. Every 25 cent subscription entitles the subscriber to one vote.
- (3) A contestant must reside in either Crittenden or Livingston county; the voter may reside anywhere in the United States.
- (4) No restrictions are placed on the voter, except that all votes must be cast on ballots provided by the Press for use in said contest.
- (5) The voter may pay all his arrearages and may pay his subscription as many years in advance as he may desire and for each dollar so paid receive a ticket entitling the holder to four votes in the contest.
- (6) As received the ballots will be placed in a locked box kept in the Press office for that purpose. The box will be opened every Wednesday morning, and the ballots counted. The next day's issue of the Press will contain the standing of each candidate. The report will appear each week.
- (7) The last count before the close of the contest will be made on WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 17th. The ballot-box will then be locked, the key given to some reputable citizen for safe keeping, and the box remain unopened until the close.
- (8) The contest will be closed at 4 o'clock WEDNESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 24th.
- (9) Immediately after the close a committee of three reputable and disinterested citizens will take charge of the ballot-box, open and count the ballots, and determine the winner in the contest.
- (10) The contest will be conducted in a most impartial manner and these rules will be strictly observed. Those interested should read them carefully.

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The thing to do is to help the system to discharge the humors, and to strengthen the digestive and assimilative functions against their return.

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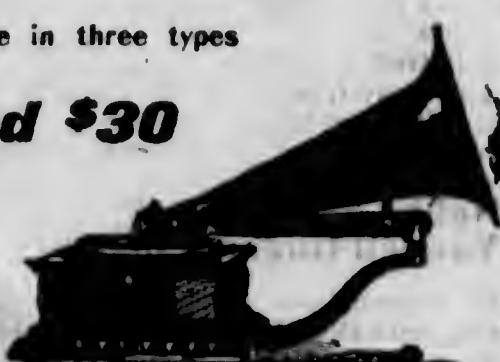
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OFFICIAL CALL

For Legislative Primary, to be Held January 3d, 1903.

It is hereby ordered by the Democratic Executive Committee of Livingston and Crittenden counties that a primary election, for the purpose of nominating a candidate to represent said two counties in the lower house of the next Kentucky Legislature, to be voted for at the regular election November 1902, be held at the regular voting places of said two counties on Saturday, January 3d, 1903.

Said primary to be held in said counties on the day named above, between the hours of 7 o'clock, a. m. and 4 p. m. This primary will not be held under or governed by the laws of this state regulating elections, but will be conducted according to Democratic usages and customs.

In a election at each voting place shall be by secret ballot and controlled by three officials, two judges and a clerk, to be appointed by the chairman of the respective county committees.

The ballot shall contain the names of each candidate for said office and Representative, with a small square opposite same, and the voter shall designate his choice by stamping thereon a small X with voting stencil or pencil. The ballots for said primary are to be furnished in each of said counties by the chairman of the county committee, and are to be paid for, together with all other expenses, by the candidates before said primary, who shall make known their candidacy to the said chairman not later than fifteen days before the date of said primary, after which time ballots will be printed and no candidate can, therefore, enter.

All persons who voted for Bryan and Beckham at the November election 1900, and such youths as may attain the age of 21 years before the November election, 1903, and who will agree to support the nominees of said primary, will be allowed to participate in said election.

At the close of the polls at 4 o'clock, p. m., the election officers at each voting place shall count the votes, ascertain the number of votes cast for each candidate, certify the result and send a copy of same, together with the poll book, ballots, etc., to the county chairman and on on the following Friday, January 3th, 1903, the chairmen of the two counties shall meet at Salem, Ky., and count and canvass the vote cast in the two counties and give certificate of nomination to the candidate receiving the greatest number of votes. Said candidate shall be declared the nominee of the Democratic party for Representative in the said two counties, to be voted for at the regular November election, 1903.

Given under our hands this, the 14th day of October, 1902.
R. D. REED,
Chairman Livingston County Democratic Committee.
P. S. MAXWELL,
Chairman Crittenden County Democratic Committee.

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Tells of Big Vegetables Raised in North Carolina.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Dec. 8, 1902. - Editor PRESS: Seeing in the Press of last week that Mr. Cardin had brought in an enormous melon that weighed seven pounds, made me think that it might be possible you would be surprised that the "Old North State" grows some things besides "niggers" and cotton.

Watermelons and turnips are of special interest here. During the melon season, which lasted from the middle of July to 1st of November, it was not uncommon to see a load of melons weighing 50 to 75 pounds each and many of them tipping the scales at 80 or more. The largest I saw weighed 924 pounds.

I mail you the "Daily Observer" and you will see in that a comment on Mecklenburg turnips. There has been quite a number of turnips brought in weighing 10 to 12 pounds. I saw a man with two about three or four weeks ago one weighed 14 pounds and the other measured thirty inches in circumference.

I forgot to say in regard to the melons they sold at 1 cent a pound so I can not testify as to their quality.

I have managed to secure a few of the smallest sized turnips and must say that they tasted a little like Kentucky turnips.

Tobacco is not grown in this part of the State. I have seen a few loads of fairly good corn that was grown here.

While cotton is the principal product, I am told that where fertilizer is judiciously used a fairly good crop of wheat may be grown. One steam thrashing outfit was on exhibition at the county fair.

Will write more when I learn more.

Yours truly,
H. F. RAY.

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WHO WAS IT?

There was somebody who said an unkind word which hurt somebody else. Was it you?

There was somebody who was th nightless and selfish in her manner, and made of living. Was it you?

There was somebody who harshly criticized the actions of somebody else. Was it you?

There was somebody who found nothing but fault in the belongings of her friend. Was it you?

There was somebody who borrowed a book and kept it for months. Was it you?

There was somebody who never stopped to think who was hurt by the sarcastic word. Was it you?

There was somebody who day in and out never did anything to make anybody else happy. Was it you?

THE CANAL.

Some Interesting Facts Regarding the Proposed Waterway.

Before Congress adjourned last summer a bill was passed looking toward the construction by the United States of a canal across some portion of the Isthmus of Panama or Central America. The Congress expressed a preference for the Panama route and instructed the President to determine the legality of the title of the Panama canal company to work already done under the direction of the French company. Attorney General Knox was sent to France by President Roosevelt to investigate the title. He found it perfect and found also that the French company was willing to accept the \$40,000,000 which the President was authorized to offer. It only remained then to come to an agreement with Colombia as to terms upon which the United States might build and operate a canal across the Isthmus, and high hopes were entertained for an early resumption upon the canal abandoned by the old Panama company many years ago. But Colombia is disposed to drive a hard bargain with "Uncle Sam," for the privilege he desired. It is reported that she demands a cash payment of \$10,000,000 and an annual rental of \$600,000. It is not probable that the United States will consent to pay such a large sum. Congress authorized the President to negotiate terms with Nicaragua for a canal to be constructed on her territory provided satisfactory terms for the Panama route could not be arranged. It is possible that the exorbitant demands of Colombia may turn the attention of the United States towards the Nicaraguan route. At any rate considerable delay in beginning work upon the canal is now certain.

J. C. Millikan, ex marshal of the village of Cave-in-Rock, Ill., once said: "I can cheerfully recommend Hill's Universal Pills, for I have used them in my family and find them to be an excellent remedy; these are the best cathartic pills on the market and contain no mercury or minerals; they are a direct shot to the liver and always arouse the great organ and leaves it in a healthy condition. Price 25c. For sale by patent medicine dealers in the county."

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OFFICIAL CALL

For Legislative Primary, to be Held January 3d, 1903.

It is hereby ordered by the Democratic Executive Committee of Livingston and Crittenden counties that a primary election, for the purpose of nominating a candidate to represent said two counties in the lower house of the next Kentucky Legislature, to be voted for at the regular election November, 1903, be held at the regular voting places of said two counties on Saturday, January 3d, 1903.

Said primary to be held in said counties on the day named above, between the hours of 7 o'clock, a. m. and 4 p. m. This primary will be held under or governed by the laws of this state regulating elections, but will be conducted according to Democratic usages and customs.

The election at each voting place shall be by secret ballot and conducted by three officials, two judges and a clerk, to be appointed by the chairman of the respective county committees.

The ballot shall contain the name of each candidate for said office of Representative, with a small square opposite same, and the voter shall designate his choice by stamping therein a small X with voting stencil or pencil. The ballots for said primary are to be furnished in each of said counties by the chairman of the county committee, and are to be paid for, together with all other expenses, by the candidates before said primary, who shall make known their candidacy to the said chairman not later than fifteen days before the date of said primary, after which time ballots will be printed and no candidate can, therefore, enter.

All persons who voted for Bryan and Beckham at the November election, 1900, and such youths as may attain the age of 21 years before the November election, 1903, and who will agree to support the nominees of said primary, will be allowed to participate in said election.

At the close of the polls at 4 o'clock, p. m., the election officers at each voting place shall count the votes, ascertain the number of votes cast for each candidate, certify the result and send a copy of same, together with the poll book, ballots, etc., to the county chairman; and on the following Friday, January 9th, 1903, the chairman of the two counties shall meet at Salem, Ky., and count and canvass the vote cast in the two counties and give certificate of nomination to the candidate receiving the greatest number of votes. Said candidate shall be declared the nominee of the Democratic party for Representative in the said two counties, to be voted for at the regular November election, 1903.

Given under our hands this, the 15th day of October, 1902.

R. H. REED,
Chairman Livingston County Democratic Committee.
P. S. MAXWELL,
Chairman Crittenden County Democratic Committee.

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Tells of Big Vegetables Raised in North Carolina.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Dec. 8, 1902.—Editor PRESS: Seeing in the Pikes of last week that Mr. Carlin had brought in an enormous turnip that weighed seven pounds, made me think that it might be possible you would be surprised that the "Old North State" grows some things besides "niggers" and cotton.

Watermelons and turnips are of special interest here. During the melon season, which lasted from the middle of July to 1st of November, it was not uncommon to see a load of melons weighing 50 to 75 pounds each and many of them tipping the scales at 80 or more. The largest I saw weighed 92½ pounds.

I mail you the "Daily Observer" and you will see in that a comment on Mecklenburg turnips. There has been quite a number of turnips brought in weighing 10 to 12 pounds. I saw a man with two about three or four weeks ago one weighed 14 pounds and the other measured thirty inches in circumference.

I forgot to say in regard to the melons they sold at 1 cent a pound so I can not testify as to their quality.

I have managed to secure a few of the smallest sized turnips and must say that they tasted a little like Kentucky turnips.

Tobacco is not grown in this part of the State. [Have seen a few loads of fairly good corn that was grown here.

While cotton is the principal product, I am told that where fertilizer is judiciously used a fairly good crop of wheat may be grown. One steam thrashing outfit was on exhibition at the county fair.

Will write more when I learn more.

Yours truly,

H. F. RAY.

BUBBLES.

Indoors—knobs.

Afterwards—"The end."

A club for men—the policeman's billy.

An eye specialist—the needle manufacturer.

The chances are that at 40 the unmarried woman has none.

An amusing piece of furniture—the entertainment bureau.

Even a sick woman feels better when she is well dressed.

Sometimes a man even goes crooked in a straightford sort of way.

Some books have had a long run, and then there are "walking papers."

One murder mystery is how any body can have the nerve to commit it.

The truth of the matter is that there is nothing the matter with the truth.

WHO WAS IT?

There was somebody who said an unkind word which hurt somebody else. Was it you?

There was somebody who was thoughtless and selfish in her manner, and made of living. Was it you?

There was somebody who harshly criticised the actions of somebody else. Was it you?

There was somebody who found nothing but fault in the belongings of her friend. Was it you?

There was somebody who borrowed a book and kept it for months. Was it you?

There was somebody who never stopped to think who was hurt by the sarcastic word. Was it you?

There was somebody who day in and out never did anything to make anybody else happy. Was it you?

THE CANAL.

Some Interesting Facts Regarding the Proposed Waterway

Before Congress adjourned last summer a bill was passed looking toward the construction by the United States of a canal across some portion of the Isthmus of Panama or Central America. The Congress expressed a preference for the Panama route and instructed the President to determine the legality of the title of the Panama canal company to work already done under the direction of the French company. Attorney General Knox was sent to France by President Roosevelt to investigate the title. He found it perfect and found also that the French company was willing to accept the \$40,000,000 which the President was authorized to offer. It only remained then to come to an agreement with Columbia as to terms upon which the United States might build and operate a canal across the Isthmus, and high hopes were entertained for an early resumption upon the canal abandoned by the old Panama company many years ago. But Columbia is disposed to drive a hard bargain with "Uncle Sam," for the privileges he desired. It is reported that she demands a cash payment of \$10,000,000 and an annual rental of \$600,000. It is not probable that the United States will consent to pay such a large sum. Congress authorized the President to negotiate terms with Nicaragua for a canal to be constructed on her territory provided satisfactory terms for the Panama route could not be arranged. It is possible that the exorbitant demands of Columbia may turn the attention of the United States towards the Nicaraguan route. At any rate considerable delay in beginning work upon the canal is now certain.

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Don't fail to call and get a GOOD CUP of COFFEE and HOT BISCUITS, and see the working of the Best Steel and Malleable Iron Range on Earth. A range that will cook with half the fuel you are now using and will last a lifetime. Early callers get a neat Majestic Souvenir.

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REMEMBER
THE DATE.

LOCAL NEWS OF MANY DISTRICTS.

CHAPEL HILL.

Clarence Daughtery, of Caldwell county, was through this beat Friday.

Stripping tobacco is the order of the day.

Everett Bobout sold to James Hill, a fat hog at 5 1/2 cents.

Uncle Jeff Yandell is on the sick list again. Mr. Yandell has been a hard working man in his day and time, and when he gave down he was done.

A little child of J. B. Howell, was buried at the old George Long place last Saturday.

J. T. Bigham sold to Jas. Woodall a fine young cow and calf last week. Price \$25.

M. G. Jacobs is talking of going to Texas for his health.

Some few of the boys are done stripping tobacco and are fixing for that little wad.

James Hill was over at his new farm this week to see if the rain had washed it away.

Miss Maggie Vanhook, of Union county, is visiting Lee Hughes and family.

Albert Hughes bought of Ora Bobout 50 bushels corn at 40 cents per bushel.

Mrs. Ida McGee, of Mexico, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Williamson.

Harry Long, of Illinois, who has been visiting Mrs. J. C. Long, will remain at Mrs. Long's and make a crop this next year.

Your correspondent was around to see Mr. J. F. Adams' fine hogs this week. They are what is termed "shots," and will weigh about 85 pounds each. They are nearly full stock Poland China and perfect models, and are large bone and short legs and will do to go into any show ring. There are eight in number and all will weigh about the same. W. H. Bigham has bought one and says they are hard to turn down. Now my friends, the time has come when we want some good stock in our country, and it is just as easy to raise good stock as it is to raise ridge rooters and elm feeders. Mr. Glenn has brought a good hog into our country and the start is made; now let everyone get some good stock of hogs and try his hand. Mr. Adams will sell some of his pigs and you can get a start right here at home. So quit raising scrub hogs.

STARR.

Corn gathering is about finished and it is selling at 36c per bushel.

Several crops of tobacco in this part not sold. Come on ye buyers.

Henry Brown has moved his saw mill and set it near Piney Creek church.

R. W. Clark has moved back into this community.

John Glass the timber man is going to locate here.

But very few farmers in this part will kill their meat this year. Fat hogs are scarce and are in good demand at 6c.

Rev. E. L. Woodruff filled his regular appointment at Piney Sunday.

George M. Travis and family went to Marion shopping Saturday.

T. M. Travis has moved to Tribune.

J. H. Travis is the business man of this part when it comes to work.

There is a timber man in this community buying the hickory timber.

Born to the wife of Egge Cruce, a fine boy.

Mrs. Edna Essie Crider and Stovall visited Mrs. Mollie McNeely last Tuesday.

Jim Conger and Bert Bradley made a flying trip to Providence Monday. They carried over a sample of their tobacco. The tobacco man will be over after Christmas, and says he will pay good prices.

Sam Stovall will move to the Lone Star community soon.

Jim Henry Paris was through here recently looking at tobacco.

Uncle Sam's mail bags wouldn't hold the mail that came to Starr a few days ago. You see this a business point.

MEXICO.

There is plenty of rain and mud in this section.

Saturday and Sunday was regular meeting days at Cookseyville. Rev. R. A. LaRue was called to preach at that church for the year 1903.

Spar hauling has been dull for the last few days on account of muddy roads. Mr. McGee has gone to New Orleans this week.

Chas. Butler's residence was destroyed by fire Dec. 2nd, leaving him destitute.

Pate Hodge has been to see his sister, Mrs. Price, who is dangerously ill at her home in Levas.

Will Turpin is dangerously ill with typhoid fever.

Mrs. Elven Jones has typhoid fever.

W. L. Tabor is building a new store house at this place. Jas. Brasher, John and Frank Tabor are the contractors and builders.

Pate Hodge, the sterling clerk of W. L. Tabor, is talking of building a dwelling at this place.

Several horses have died around here from blind staggers.

Frank Rogers has rented and will occupy the W. J. Brasher place for the coming year.

R. E. Gray has built an addition to his house and will move to this place in the near future.

A. A. Davenport is a lucky man. He was married to his fifth wife Dec. 4th.

A large number of the farmers in this community have sold their tobacco, and are very busy stripping and getting it ready for delivery.

Superintendent Harris, of the Commercial Mining Co., and others got off the train here Tuesday morning to look after their mining interests.

J. E. Stephenson and John Tabor have bought Will Ordway's saw mill.

Calie Myers has purchased a buggy; it means something—a ride for some day.

Judge Lynn, of Hopkinsville, was here Monday looking after mining interest.

CRAYNEVILLE.

Wheat is looking well.

Still some few cases of fever.

Mr. Elgin, of Hopkinsville, will put up tobacco at Crayneville this season. He has bought a great deal of tobacco at 5 cents.

Mr. Hugh Glenn will soon leave for his new home in Houston, Texas. We regret very much to give him up.

Several of our Crayneville boys went to New Orleans this week to work on the public work.

Dr. O. C. Cook is making quite an addition to his residence.

A little girl of James Howell, died last week of typhoid fever.

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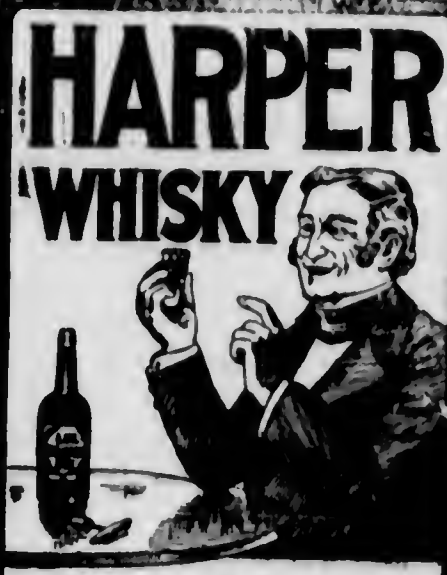
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LOCAL NEWS OF MANY DISTRICTS.

CHAPEL HILL.

Clarence Daughtery, of Caldwell county, was through this beat Friday. Stripping tobacco is the order of the day.

Everett Bebout sold to James Hill, a fat hog at 51-2 cents.

Uncle Jeff Yandell is on the sick list again. Mr. Yandell has been a hard working man in his day and time, and when he gave down he was done.

A little child of J. B. Howell, was buried at the old George Long place last Saturday.

J. T. Bigham sold to Jas. Woodall a fine young cow and calf last week. Price \$25.

M. G. Jacobs is talking of going to Texas for his health.

Some few of the boys are done stripping tobacco and are fixing for that little wad.

James Hill was over at his new farm this week to see if the rain had washed it away.

Miss Maggie Vanhook, of Union county, is visiting Lee Hughes and family.

Albert Hughes bought of Ora Bebout 50 bushels corn at 40 cents per bushel.

Mrs. Ida McGee, of Mexico, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Williamson.

Harry Long, of Illinois, who has been visiting Mrs. J. C. Long, will remain at Mrs. Long's and make a crop this next year.

Your correspondent was around to see Mr. J. F. Adams' fine hogs this week. They are what is termed "shots," and will weigh about 85 pounds each. They are nearly full stock Poland-China and perfect models, and are large bone and short legs and will do to go into any show ring. There are eight in number and all will weigh about the same. W. H. Bigham has bought one and says they are hard to turn down. Now my friends, the time has come when we want some good stock in our country, and it is just as easy to raise good stock as it is to raise ridge rooters and elm peelers. Mr. Glenn has brought a good hog into our country and the start is made; now let everyone get some good stock of hogs and try his hand. Mr. Adams will sell some of his pigs and you can get a start right here at home. So quit raising scrub hogs.

STARR.

Corn gathering is about finished and it is getting at 36c per bushel.

Several crops of tobacco in this part not sold. Come on ye buyers.

Henry Brown has moved his saw mill and set it near Piney Creek church.

R. W. Clark has moved back into this community.

John Glass the timber man is going to locate here.

But very few farmers in this part will kill their meat this year. Fat hogs are scarce and are in good demand at 6c.

Rev. E. L. Woodruff filled his regular appointment at Piney Sunday.

George M. Travis and family went to Marion shopping Saturday.

T. M. Travis has moved to Tribune.

J. H. Travis is the business man of this part when it comes to work.

There is a timber man in this community buying the hickory timber.

Born to the wife of Egge Cruce, a fine boy.

Mrs. Essie Crider and Stovall visited Mrs. Mollie McNeely last Tuesday.

Jim Conger and Bert Bradley made a flying trip to Providence Monday. They carried over a sample of their tobacco. The tobacco man will be over after Christmas, and says he will pay good prices.

Sam Stovall will move to the Lone Star community soon.

Jim Henry Paris was through here recently looking at tobacco.

Uncle Sam's mail bags wouldn't hold the mail that came to Starr a few days ago. You see this a business point.

MEXICO.

There is plenty of rain and mud in this section.

Saturday and Sunday was regular meeting days at Cookeville. Rev. R. A. LaRue was called to preach at that church for the year 1903.

Spar hauling has been dull for the last few days on account of muddy roads. Mr. McGee has gone to New Orleans this week.

Chas. Butler's residence was destroyed by fire Dec. 2nd, leaving him destitute.

Pate Hodge has been to see his sister, Mrs. Price, who is dangerously ill at her home in Levas.

Will Turpin is dangerously ill with typhoid fever.

Mrs. Elven Jones has typhoid fever.

W. L. Tabor is building a new store house at this place. Jas. Brasher, John and Frank Tabor are the contractors and builders.

Pate Hodge, the sterling clerk of W. L. Tabor, is talking of building a dwelling at this place.

Several horses have died around here from blind staggers.

Frank Rogers has rented and will occupy the W. J. Brasher place for the coming year.

R. E. Gray has built an addition to his house and will move to this place in the near future.

A. A. Davenport is a lucky man. He was married to his fifth wife Dec. 4th.

A large number of the farmers in this community have sold their tobacco, and are very busy stripping and getting it ready for delivery.

Superintendent Harris, of the Commercial Mining Co., and others got off the train here Tuesday morning to look after their mining interests.

J. E. Stephenson and John Tabor have bought Will Ordway's saw mill.

Callie Myers has purchased a buggy; it means something—a ride for some.

Judge Lynn, of Hopkinsville, was here Monday looking after mining interest.

CRAYNEVILLE.

Wheat is looking well.

Still some few cases of fever.

Mr. Elgin, of Hopkinsville, will put up tobacco at Crayneville this season. He has bought a great deal of tobacco at 5 cents.

Mr. Hugh Glenn will soon leave for his new home in Houston, Texas. We regret very much to give him up.

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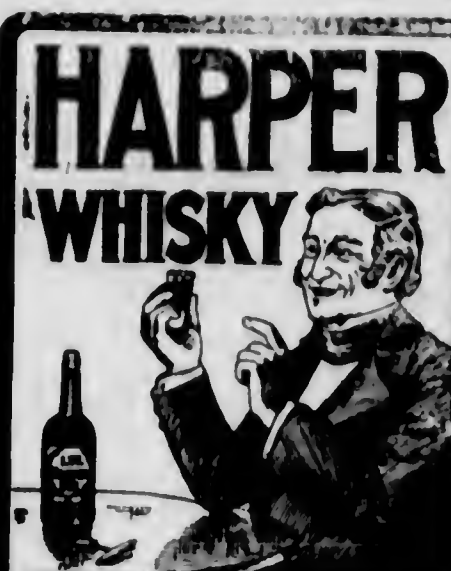
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